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AMENDMENT A

Attn: Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated April 18, 2006, Applicants submit herewith a Petition for one-month extension and following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.

A Substitute Specification is attached to the end of this paper.